TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 1135

February 10, 2021

SUMMARY OF BILL: Extends, from 180 to 190, the number of days that must pass from the date surety is served with scire facias or scire facias is returned to the clerk unserved or undelivered, before the court may enter judgment for the amount of the bail and costs of the proceedings.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNFICANT

Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 40-11-139(b), after the expiration of 180 days from the date surety is served with scire facias or scire facias is returned to the clerk unserved or undelivered, the court may enter judgment for the state against the defendant and the defendant's sureties for the amount of the bail and costs of the proceedings.
- Extending the timeframe that must expire by 10 days will not substantially impact court proceedings and will not significantly impact state or local expenditures.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Bojan Savic, Interim Executive Director

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